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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos Two

Part B for Nil

SUBJECT

Levy of Octroi duty on matches in the Tuticorin Town mfg

To Messrs The Western India Match Co. Ltd. Madras

No L 4977/D 9-11-48
Instructs to approach the Mlties

7053 Abolition of the levy of octroi on matches in Jumkur Town Municipality

Letter No A6C 5-73/47-48 dated the 16th May 1948 from the Deputy Commissioner, Jumkur District on the above subject

The Deputy Commissioner states that the above subject was considered by the Jumkur Town M C at the meeting held on the 16th March 1948 and that they have resolved that they are not in favour of abolishing the tax on matches, as the levy is not felt as a hardship by the consumers and that the Council realises an income of Rs 2000 every year. The resolution of the M C dated 16-3-48 stated above has been attached but has not been enclosed with the present letter

2) The connected Secretariat file

Abolition of the levy of octroi on matches in Tumkur Town Municipality

ML 705-3.

is stated to have been closed and filed ~~[illegible]~~ under B on Aug 47 in No ML 68 of 1946, Local MS 41-42. This has not been received from the records. A copy of this office letter No L 2955-6/ML 68-46-42 dated 21st Aug 47 + other relevant papers will also be called for

This was sent to the Govt by this office letter No L 17794 dated 18.6.48

3) A draft letter is herewith put up for approval

ADV 14-6-48

4) Issued 15/6/48

To

The D C Tumkur

L 17794 dated 18.6.48 calls for a copy of the ML resolution

Sent A 17/6

From

The D C Tumkur

Letter No A.b C 573/47-48 dated 24th June '48 - Forwards a copy of the ML resolution

5) The resolution of the ML council Tumkur dated 16.3.48 in ~~[illegible]~~ Flag W from of the levy of octroi on Matches in ~~the~~ the Tumkur Town Mlty

Submitted for orders

Approved 6) In this office letter of 21.8.47 Flag Q

Abolishing the levy of octroi on Matches in the Tuticorin Town Mlf

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The D.C Tuticorin, has requested to advise the Town Hall Council, Tuticorin, to abolish the octroi duty on matches after observing the necessary formalities, but the Municipal Council have not seen fit to do so as they say it affects their finances and the Consumers do not feel the levy a hard ship

7) In the circumstances the D C recommends that Government may take action under Sec 80 of the Town Municipalities Act to suspend the levy of the duty

Fr 27-4-48 8) The Western India Match Co have again requested that the octroi duty on matches levied in Municipal & Union — may be abolished

It this respect pl put up that action

for 3/7/48

From The Western India Match Co,
Chamber Chetty St Madras, dated 28-8-48
Requests that octroi duty on matches in Municipalities may be shortly drawn

9) Subd above refers & hence

Fr 37-48 10) Pl note the financial Condition of this Mlf for 1947-48 & enquire what it would be for 48-49 Also find out if the levy has been abolished in the Municipal Towns Have suggested Commr Coimbatore on this behalf ? for 2/7/48

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abolition of octroi on Matches in Tumkur Mkt

11) The financial condition of the Tumkur Town Municipality for the year 1967-68 is as follows

Opening Balance	Rs 1,34,733 f=
Receipts	Rs 2,27,217 f=
total	Rs 3,61,950 f=
Expenditure	Rs 2,05,588 f=
closing Balance	Rs 1,56,362 f=

12) Draft letter to the D.C Tumkur enquiring the budget estimate for 1968-69 and a letter to the D C Shimoga enquiring whether the levy was abolished or not, also put up for appeal (13) No proposals from the chickmagalur Town Mc council are received in this office till now

Appn D/7 Pr. 77 68

13) i) Please look with the D/S Law
ii) Pl put up a D/7 Mtg
reply for the consideration

To
The D C Shimoga
The D C Tumkur
L 355-356/107-68
Calls for certain information

Abolition of octroi on Matches in Tuticorin and Shiyali etc

2053/47
1113/47
561/48

14) Draft reply to the Match company, to put up for approval

19/7 Rejected 19/7/48

15) Issued 20/7/48

To
The Western India Match Co Ltd
P O Box 257 G P O Madras
L 832/22-7-48
Reply is sent

From
The C-C Tuticorin dated
L No A b c 573/47-48 dated 17-7-48
furnishes the information called for

16) The financial condition of the Tuticorin Town Municipality for the year 1948-49 is as follows

opening Balance	Rs 2,38,515-0-0
Receipts	Rs 2,66,212-0-0
Total	Rs 5,04,727-0-0
Expenditure	Rs 1,72,563-0-0
closing Balance	Rs 3,32,164-0-0

17) Submitted for orders
Ref- from 10
22/7 Rejected 18) Matters Section 80 of the T-N Act 1933/17 Vas

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Abolition of octroi on Matches in Tuticorin Town Mlg

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19) The Section 80 of the T M Act 1933 reads as follows -

If it shall at any time appear to the Govt, on complaint made or otherwise, that any tax, leviable by a ml council, is unfair in its incidence or that the levy thereof or of any part thereof, is obnoxious to the interests of the General public, the Govt may require the said Ml council, within such period as it shall fix in this behalf, to take measures for removing any objection which appears to it, to exist to the said tax, and if within the period so fixed, such requirements shall not be carried into effect to the satisfaction of the Govt, it may by notification in the official Gazette, suspend the levy of such tax, or of such part thereof, until such time as the objection thereto shall be removed

The Govt may at any time, by like notification, rescind any such suspension"

Draft
23/3

Abolishing octroi on Matches in Tumkur Town Mly

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V561/mnl

1) Before resorting to the provision of Section 80 of the Mysore Town Municipalities Act 1933 to abolish the levy of octroi on matches in the Tumkur Town Mly, it would be worth while to make another attempt to advise the Mcl to reconsider their attitude in the matter

2) One of the grounds on which they are not willing to abolish the tax is that their financial condition is not satisfactory the truthfulness of this argument is evidenced by the budget figures for 1948-49 — vide para 16 of the receipts are Rs 266,312 for 1948-49 while the expenses Rs 172543/- i.e about 96000/- less than the income the closing balance as anticipated to be Rs 332,184/- a huge amount indeed as such, one fails to understand how the Mly refuses to forego a "substantial" sum

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Rs 2000 which it is said to be
now getting by the levy of duty on
matches every year.

22) The second argument is that the levy is not
felt as a hardship by the consumer certainly
the M/L cl is not the best guide of the position
the Consumer will have to pay more for a
matchbox if the duty is levied than it
would be the case otherwise

23) further this is a matter of policy in regard to
the levy of two kinds of duty operating on the
same kind of essential commodity — one by the
central govt — in the shape of an Excise duty &
another in the shape of action by the local Govt
such double levies cannot but cause hardship
to the consumer

24) The M/L cl have also stated that the object of
the Govt has increased manyfold thus
statement is not certainly borne out by the
Budget figures for 1947-48 & 1948-49

25) A draft letter to the D-C Surat
Distt is accordingly put up for appl

vide para 11076 above for

new Secy dt 30/7/48
5-8-48

26) In the circumstances
stated above, the draft letter
put up is for perusal
& reference issue
Minister
L-S 8)

8/8/48
Pvt Secy

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OFFICE OF
THE MINISTER FOR
LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT
No 656
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Dat

27) This is an excluded item from Sales Tax. Please let me know the rate at which the rebate duty is levied on matches.

Re
13/8/48

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28) Draft letter to the A.C enquiring the above, - (para 27 supra) is put up for approval

Asst P 17/8 P 18-8-48 29) action is levied at the following rates on the two items noted below —

(a) Zamkan Tax — Rs as P 0-0-3 per rupee ad Valorem

(b) Shamoja Tax — 0-1-0 per gross

The realisations from the above levy are as follows: —

(a) Zamkan Tax — Rs (1945-46 (to 11/4/46) - 44/5/6
1946-47 upto 31st Aug 47) 1239/4/6

(b) Shamoja Tax for 46 & 47 upto 31 Aug 47) 884/-

Exact information in regard to the realisations during 1945-46 is not known, from the source

10) SBL

30) for orders with regard to para 29 supra

new regd No 2090/ml

28/8/08

2066/28/8 Received L.S-8

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT
No 971
Date 5SG

31) As the APLC Minister is not in favour of abolishing the octroi on matches & also as the fees earned is very little on each match box, the question of abolishing the octroi may be dropped for the present

7/9/08

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From

The Western India Match Co Ltd

Dated 9th Sep'08

requests early orders in the matter.

32) Submitted with a draft letter to the Western India Match Co Ltd for approval

28/9 29.9.08

vide next page

Abolition of octroi duty on Matches

33) Issue of usual formalities
& resubmit
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3/9/48

To
The Western India Match Co Ltd
Madras
L. 3562 | 4-10-48
Acknowledges his letter

34) Resubmitted with reference to
para 33 supra

35) octroi duty on matches
is being levied in the rural areas
of Shimoga & Tumkur. The
Western India Match Co Ltd
have requested that the levy may
be abolished. This is based on
the provisions of G.O. No L 14317-18
/ Rev 59-47-31 dt 4 3 48 to the
effect that as the Excise duty
on matches is levied by the Central

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2090/ml Abolition of octroi duty on matches

first the prospect of the Govt
to levy octroi in Vadrj municipality (and
municipality which would amount to Vijayapura
a second duty on this article does not
commend itself to first, as it is not
an article of luxury but of necessity

36) Adverse replies were being sent to the
Corp to the effect that the matter is under the
consideration of first the Corp have been
waiting for early orders in the matter
some other Mills like Christanium &
Christamopolan have also asked for the levy
of octroi on matches

37) In view of the first, it is for orders
if a reply may be sent to the Corp to
the effect that after consideration
the first are not in
favour of abolishing the levy of octroi
on matches in Shimoga & Tumkur Town Mills
in view of the smallness of the levy
the future policy in regard to the levy
in the case of other Mills has also to be
decided reference 31 supra

Rev Secy for
14/10/47

Abolition of octroi duty on matches in 13 Turnkey and chief magistrate municipalities

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38) The A reply as proposed above may perhaps be sent to the Co. Post mistress saying that Govt are in favour of abolishing the octroi, it might be stated that in view of the smallness of the levy, Govt do not like to interfere with the discretion of the municipality. They may therefore approach the municipality for consideration of their request

Minister for L.S.G.

18/10

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT
No 2005
Date 18/10/48

39) I agree as at 38 above

18/10/48

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40) D/f returned

3/11/48

Abolition of octroi duty in Matches in Tuticorin and Chidambaram Town Municipalities

41) Draft reply to the Western India Match Co Madras is put up for approval 2090/mp

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Issue
for
11/11/48

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To

The Wimco Ltd Madras

L 4977 /9-11-48

instructed to approach the Minister

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No A6 C 573/47-48

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District,
Dated, Tumkur, the 16th May 1948

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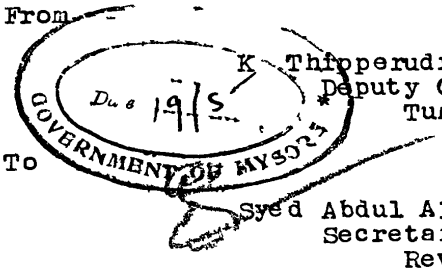
From

K Thipperudriah, Esq , B A ,
Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District, Tumkur



To

Syed Abdul Aleem, Esq , B A ,
Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Revenue Department, Bangalore

Sir,

Subject - Re abolition of the levy of octroi on Matches in Tumkur Town Municipality

With reference to your letter No L 2955-6/M1 68-46-42 dated 21st August 1947, on the above subject, I have the honour to state that the President, Town Municipal Council, Tumkur, who was addressed in the matter has reported in his Letter No H C 22/47-8 dated 17 3 48 (copy enclosed) that the subject was placed before the Municipal council, who at their meeting held on 16 3 48, have resolved that by the levy of the tax on matches, the council realised Rs 2000/- every year and that under the present financial conditions of the municipality, the council cannot afford to loose the substantial income and that the council are not in favour of abolishin the tax as the levy of tax is not felt hardship by the consumers

I, therefore request that the Government may kindly be moved to take suitable action under Section 80 of the Town Municipalities Act 1933 The extract of the resolution of the Municipal council and the copy of letter of the President, Town Municipal Council are herein enclosed for kind reference

Not enclosed

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I have the honour to be,
Sir,

for kind reference

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District

krl 16/5.

Letter No HC 22/47-48 dated 17 3 48 from the President, Town Municipal Council, Tumkur, to the Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District, Tumkur

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Subject - Re abolition of the levy of octroi duty on Matches in Tumkur Town Municipality

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In reply to your letter No A6 C 573-47 dated 29th October 1947 requesting to furnish the explanation and objection of the - Municipal council, for not abolishing the duty on matches, as - addressed by Government, I have the honour to state that the subject was placed before the Municipal council, who at their meeting held on 16 3 48, have resolved, that by the levy of the tax on matches, this Council realised nearly Rs 2000/- every year and that under the present financial conditions the council cannot afford to loose the substantial income They have further resolved that the expenditure of the council also has increased manyfold Besides, the levy is not felt as an hard ship by the consumers In view of the above circumstances, the council is not in favour of - abolishing this tax

The copy of the resolution of Municipal council is herein enclosed for kind perusal

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" copy "

17/5/48

Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District

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Urgent

To L 17794
10/6/48

The Deputy Commissioner,
Lumkine District
Lumkine

Subject - Abolition of the levy of octroi on matches in the Lumkine Town Municipality

Sir

With reference to your letter No A6C 573/47-48 dated the 16th May 1948 on the above subject, I am directed to request that the copy of the resolution of the Lumkine Town Municipal Council dated the 16th March 1948 may be

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forwarded as the same does not accompany your letter under reply

If I can also be of assistance that a copy of this letter A & L 2955-6/MU 68-46-42 dated 28th August 1947 and the other connected papers of your office bearing to the above letter may also be forwarded, as they connected file is not readily traceable in this office

I have &c

for

for Secretary to Govt
Revenue Dept

14/6/48

File linked to 18/6/48

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L 17794

18 June, 48

The

Revenue Department.

To

The Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District, Tumkur.

Sir,

Subject - Abolition of the levy of Octroi on Matches in the Tumkur Town Municipality.

With reference to your letter No. Ab.C.573/47-48 dated the 16th May 1948 on the above subject, I am directed to request that the copy of the resolution of the Tumkur Town Municipal Council dated the 16th March 1948 may be forwarded as the same does not accompany your letter under reply.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department

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No A,6 C 573/47-48

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Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District
Dated, Tumkur, 24th June 1948

From

The Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District, Tumkur

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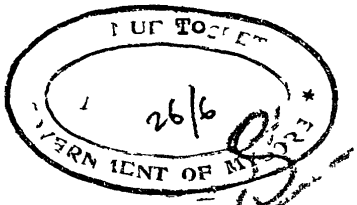

The Secretary to Govt of Mysore,
Revenue Department,
Bangalore

Subject - Abolition of the levy of octroi on matches in the Tumkur Town Municipality

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Sir,

With reference to your letter No L 17794 dated 18th June 1948, on the above subject, I have the honor to forward, herewith, a copy of the resolution of the Tumkur Town Municipal Council dated 16th March 1948 for kind perusal of Government

I have the honor to be,
sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District
Absent from station

AD 24/6

ಕಾರ್ಯಾಲಯ 16-3-48 ರಿಂದ ಜಾರಿಗೆ ಬರುವಂತೆ ಸಭೆಯು ತೀರ್ಮಾನಿಸಿದೆ.

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Subject No 3.

ಕುಸುಕುಟ್ಟುವ ಯಂತ್ರಗಳ ಮೇಲಿನ ತೆರಿಗೆಯನ್ನು ಹಿಂತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಕಳೆದ ಸಾಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಕೈಗೊಂಡ ನಿರ್ಣಯವನ್ನು ಪುನರ್ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸುವಂತೆ ಕೋರಿ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಬರೆದಿರುವ ಪತ್ರವನ್ನು ಸಭೆಯು ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸಿತು.

Resolution. — By the levy of this Tax on matches, this Council realises nearly Rs 2000/- every year under the present Commercial conditions, the Council cannot afford to lose this substantial income the expenditure of the Council also had increased many fold Besides the levy is not felt as an hardship by the consumers therefore this Council is not in favour of abolishing this Tax.

Resolution. - Standing Committee resolution approved

(Sd) B N Keshava Iyengar
16 3 48

"Copy"

B N Keshava Iyengar
President, 18/3/48

Town Municipal Council
Tumkur

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THE WESTERN INDIA MATCH CO. LTD

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28th June 1948

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The Secretary to the Government of
His Highness The Maharajah of Mysore,
Local Self Government Department,
Public Offices,
BANGALORE

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT
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MUNICIPAL BRANCH

S i r,

OCTROI ON MATCHES

We refer to our letter of the 6th June 1948 in connection with the levy of Octroi on matches at Vadigenhalli by the local Municipal Council, and are now pleased to hear from our Vadigenhalli Depot that the Mysore Government have not certified the proposal of the Vadigenhalli Municipal Council to levy an Octroi, as per Government Order reproduced below

"Letter No M 6/6/930/47-48 dated 27th August 1947 from the Deputy Commissioner,* recommending the resolution dated 10th May 1947 of Vadigenhalli Municipal Council to levy Octroi on safety matches

GOVT ORDER No L 14317/8/ML 8/59-47-31 dated 4th MARCH 1948

MATCHES As the Excise Duty on matches is levied by the Central Government, the proposal of the Municipal Council to levy octroi which would amount to a second duty on this article, does not commend itself to Government, as it is not an article of luxury but one of necessity

Sd
Secretary to Govt , Rev Dept "

In this connection, we may be permitted to mention that Octroi on matches is now in force in Tumkur and Shimoga Municipal areas and recently the Chickmagalur Municipal Council have also proposed to levy an Octroi In view of the Government Order referred to above, we approach you once again with a request that the Octroi on matches now in force in the Municipal areas referred to above be withdrawn We also request you not to certify any proposal that may be put forward by the Chickmagalur Municipal Council

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
THE WESTERN INDIA MATCH CO LTD.

*Bangalore District
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Mk 88-48-60 MC 561

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT
21 JUL 1948
MUNICIPAL BRANCH

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No A6 C 573/47-48

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District.
Dated

No L

L 355^10
10.7.48.

To

The A C Tumkur

Sub: Abolition of Octroi on Matches in Tumkur Town Mcty

Sir,

With reference to ~~your~~ letter letter No A6 C 573/47-48 dated 24-6-48 ~~I am~~ on the above subject, I am directed to enquire, ~~whether~~ what the financial condition of the above Town Mcty for the year 1948-49 ~~is~~ ~~in the favour of a very early reply~~ ~~as requested.~~

Yours faithfully
Dy Secretary to the Govt

Mk 88-48-60 MC 561

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT
21 JUL 1948
MUNICIPAL BRANCH

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No A6 C 573/47-48

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District,
Dated Tumkur the 17th July 1948.

No L 1356 11
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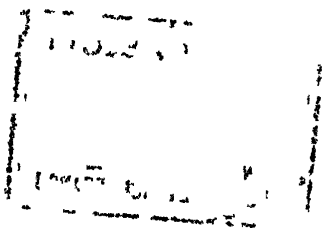
To
The D-C Shimoga

Sub: Abolition of the levy of octroi on Matches in Shimoga Town Mly

Sir,

In continuation of the Office letter No 2955-b/ dated 21-8-47 x x on the above subject, I am directed to enquire whether any action has been taken for abolishing the levy of octroi on Matches as instructed by the Shimoga Town Ml. Cl. and if so, ~~please submit a report as to~~ the date from which it was abolished. ~~etc~~, ~~can I am to request you to submit a report~~



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~~Early to look in the matter~~
The favour of a very early reply
is requested.

I have etc

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81 Pall Mall
for Messrs Lloyds

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Mk 88-48-60 MC 561

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT 21 JUL 1948 MUNICIPAL BRANCH

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No A6 C 573/47-48

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District,
Dated, Tumkur, the 17th July 1948

To

Syed Abdul Aleem, Esq , B A ,
Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Revenue Department, Bangalore

Sir,

Subject -

Abolition of levy of octroi of matches in Tumkur Town Municipality

With reference to your letter No L 3[illegible], dated 10 7 48, on the above subject, requesting to furnish the financial condition of the Tumkur Town Municipality for 48-49, I have the honour to state that according to my review on the budget estimate, the following is the financial condition of Municipality for the year 48-49 (vide this office letter No - R Per Y 30 7/47-48 dated 15 7 48)

Opening balance		2,38,515-0-0
Receipts		2,66,212-0-0
	Total	5,04,727-0-0
Expenditure		1,72,543-0-0
Closing Balance		3,32,184-0-0

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
17/7/48
For Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District
Absent from Headquarters

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No 2 832 14
22-7-48

To

The Western India Match Co Ltd

Shaw Wallace Buildings

879, Thambu Chetty St.

P.O Box 257 GPO

Madras

Sub Octroi duty on Matches.

Dear Sirs,

With reference to your letter dated 28th June '48 on the above subject, I am directed to state that the question of the abolition of the levy of octroi duty on matches in the Municipalities of Shimoga & Tumkur is under active consideration of this Govt.

Yours faithfully,

ALL BUSINESS IS SUBJECT TO THE CONDITIONS CONTAINED IN THE COMPANY'S ORDER FORM

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Sept. The orders of Sept ~~instant~~
~~communicated to you in due course~~

Yours faithfully
~~Glancek~~
for Secy to Govt.
New Delhi

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To

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THE WESTERN INDIA MATCH CO. LTD

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9th September 1948

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT
13 SEP 1948
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MUNICIPAL BRANCH

The Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Revenue Department,
B A N G A L O R E.

Dear Sir,

Octroi duty on matches

We refer to our letter dated the 28th June 1948 and your communication No L 832 dated 22nd July 1948, wherein you have advised us that the question of abolishing the levy of octroi duty on matches in the municipal areas of Shimoga, Tumkur, etc , is under the consideration of Government We are anxiously awaiting your favourable decision in the matter, and shall be much obliged if you will pass early orders withdrawing the octroi duty on matches

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
THE WESTERN INDIA MATCH CO LTD

DP B

Sri Anja

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The Secretary to the Government of
His Higness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Revenue Department,
BANGALORE

Dear Sir,

Octroi on matches

We thank you for your letter No L 832 of the 22nd current and are pleased to note that the question of abolition of the levy of Octroi duty on matches in the Shimoga and Tumkur Municipalities etc , is under the consideration of the Government

Yours faithfully,
THE WESTERN INDIA MATCH CO LTD

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To
The Western India Match Co
Ltd
Shaw Wallace Buildings
8/9 Thambu Chetty St
P O Box 253 G P O
Madras

Subj: Abolition of octroi duty in Tuticorin and Shiyali Municipalities

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 9th Sep'48 and to state that a further communication will be made to you in due course

Yours faithfully

for Secretary to Govt
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Receipt

No L 4977/9-11-48 19

To The Western India Match Co Ltd

Shaw Wallace Buildings
8/9 Thambuchetty St
P O Box 257 GPO
Madras

Subj: Abolition of octroi duty on matches in Tuticorin and Chickmagalur Town Municipalities

Gentlemen
Sirs

In continuation of this office letter No L 3562 dated 4-10-48 on the above subject I am directed to state that in view of the smallness of the rate of octroi duty levied on matches in the several municipalities, the Govt do not propose to interfere with

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the direction of the Municipalities Concerned
I am to request you
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approch the Municipalities for a
consideration of your request in this behalf

Yours faithfully

for Rev Secretary

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat,

No L4977 *Dated, Bangalore,* 9-11-1948

FROM

The Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Revenue ~~*General*~~ *Department*

To

Messrs The Western India Match Co., Ltd.,
Shaw Wallace Buildings, 8/9 Thambuchetty Street,
P.O Box.257 G P.O, Madras.

SUBJECT Abolition of octroi duty on matches in Tumkur and ~~Shimoga~~ Shivamogga Town Municipalities

Gentlemen,

In continuation of this office letter No L.3562 dated 4th October 1948 on the above subject, I am directed to state that the question has been further examined carefully In view of the smallness of the rate of octroi duty levied on matches Government do not propose to interfere with the discretion of the Municipalities concerned I am to request you therefore to approach the Municipalities for a consideration of your request in this behalf.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- Syed Abdul Aleem,
For Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department.

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Copy of the above is forwarded, with compliments,